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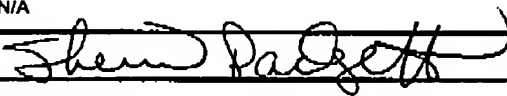
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Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES**Fee Description**

Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)
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Multiple dependent claims

Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)
50	25
200	100
360	180

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In Re Application of: Lowell C. Douglas et al.)
Serial No.: 10/010,999)
Filed: December 3, 2001)
For: Golf Putter And Putter Head)
Examiner: Sebastiano Passaniti)
Group Art Unit: 3711)

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SECOND AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed June 29, 2004, a three month extension
of time and a second amendment for the above-identified application are being
submitted herewith.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 18-27.

Please add the following new Claims 28-46 as follows:

28. (New) A golf putter comprising: